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1. 13.3 Challenges Facing the Elderly Questions

4.1.1. Today in the United States the poverty rate of the elderly is _____.

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Today in the United States the poverty rate of the elderly is _____.

Please choose only one answer:

- lower than at any point in history
- increasing
- decreasing
- the same as that of the general population

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4.1.2. Which action reflects ageism?

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Which action reflects ageism?

Please choose only one answer:

- Enabling WWII veterans to visit war memorials
- Speaking slowly and loudly when talking to someone over age 65
- Believing that older people drive too slowly
- Living in a culture where elders are respected

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4.1.3. Which factor most increases the risk of an elderly person suffering...

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Which factor most increases the risk of an elderly person suffering mistreatment?

Please choose only one answer:

- Bereavement due to widowhood
- Having been abusive as a younger adult
- Being frail to the point of dependency on care
- The ability to bestow a large inheritance on survivors

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4.1.4. If elderly people suffer abuse, it is most often perpetrated by ____...

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If elderly people suffer abuse, it is most often perpetrated by _____.

Please choose only one answer:

- spouses
- caregivers
- lawyers
- strangers

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4.1.5. Veterans are two to four times more likely to _____ as people who ...

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Veterans are two to four times more likely to _____ as people who did not serve in the military.

Please choose only one answer:

- be a victim of elder abuse
- commit suicide
- be concerned about financial stresses
- be abusive toward care providers

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